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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2832
Examiner: Michelle Estrada

In Re PATENT APPLICATION OF:

Applicants : Jui-Neng TU)
Serial No. : 10/733,814)
Filed : December 12, 2003)
For : DUAL DAMASCENE PROCESS)
FOR FORMING A MULTI-LAYER)
LOW-K DIELECTRIC)
INTERCONNECT)
Attorney Ref. : COR 136)

**RESPONSE TO
ELECTION
REQUIREMENT**

November 29, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Election Requirement dated November 3, 2004, applicant elects the invention of Group II recited in Claims 9-12 for further examination. The election is made without traverse.

Examination of the application on the merits is respectfully requested.

Should any fee be required, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 and advise us accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

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